

Application Serial No.: 09/286,530
Attorney Docket No.: 2C03.1-220
CIBA Docket No.: CLV-31739/WEJ1239
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: CHAPOY et al.)
Serial No.: 09/286,530)
Filed: April 5, 1999)
For: "BIOMEDICAL DEVICES WITH)
POLYIMIDE COATING")

Group Art Unit: 3738

Examiner: Prebilic, Paul B.

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January 3, 2004

RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

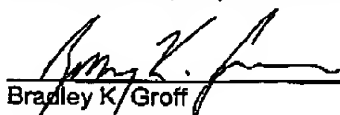
Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Complaint Amendment mailed December 22, 2003, applicant submits herewith a corrected Claim Amendments section of the Response And Amendment filed December 17, 2003. The corrected section includes a listing of all pending claims, including withdrawn claims.

This Response is believed to be timely, and the Request for Continued Examination filed December 17, 2003 is believed to have been timely received and entered by the Office. However, in the event that any extension of time is required, please consider this a request therefor. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees due or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-1513.

CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION

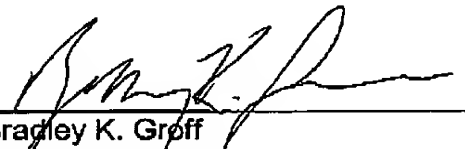
I hereby certify that this correspondence is being submitted via facsimile to the Commissioner for Patents at (703) 872-9306, on the date indicated below.


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January 3, 2004
Date

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